


REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Applicant acknowledges the Examiner's request for restriction, and hereby elects the subject matter recited in Species A without traverse for the purposes of further prosecution. In particular, Applicant has elected claims 181-183, 185, 186, 188-193, 197-200, 202-212, 214, 215, 217-225, 227-234, 237-242, 244-254, 256, 257, 259-264, and 269-272. Applicant has canceled non-elected claims 184, 194, 201, 216, 226, 236, 243, and 258. Accordingly, Applicant respectfully requests that the subject matter presented in the elected claims be examined on the merits.

As noted in the Interview Summary mailed August 13, 2009, the Examiner and the Applicant discussed the Office Action on August 11, 2009. During the discussion, the Examiner notified the Applicant of the claims that correspond to each alleged structurally distinct embodiment. In particular, the Examiner stated that the embodiment of claims 181 and 189 is distinct from the embodiment of claims 184 and 194. In response, Applicant has elected, as noted above, the subject matter of claims 181 and 189, and related analogous claims, of the Application.

No fees should be associated with the filing of this Amendment and Response to Restriction Requirement. In the event of a payment deficiency or if additional fees are due, please charge Avery Dennison's Deposit Account No. 013025.

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